



GP/1645

PATENT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: INVIT1290-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Carrino et al. Art Unit: 1645
Application No.: 10/014,128 Examiner: Unknown
Filed: December 7, 2001
Title: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR RAPIDLY GENERATING
RECOMBINANT NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

NOV 07 2002

TRANSMITTAL SHEET

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application please find:

1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
2. Form PTO-1449 (1 page);
3. Two (2) United States Patents;
4. Two (2) Foreign Patents;
5. Copy of the International Search Report (5 pages); and
6. Return Receipt Postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, **October 31, 2002**, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Cecilia T bin

(Name of Person Mailing Paper)

Cecilia T bin

(Signature)

October 31, 2002

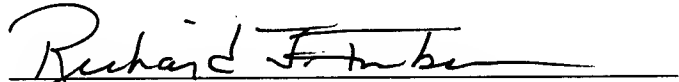
(Date)

Applicants: Carrino et al.
Application No.: 10/014,128
Filed: December 7, 2001
Page 2

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, because it is being filed prior to the receipt of a first office action on the merits of the above-captioned application. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge any other fees associated with the filings submitted herewith, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 31, 2002



Richard J. Imbra
Registration No.: 37,643
Telephone: (858) 677-1496
Facsimile: (858) 677-1465

USPTO CUSTOMER NUMBER 28213
GRAY CARY WARE & FREIDENRICH LLP
4365 Executive Drive, Suite 1100
San Diego, CA 92121-2133



PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: INVIT1290-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PH#7

Applicants: Carrino et al. Art Unit: 1645
Application No.: 10/014,128 Examiner: Unknown
Filed: December 7, 2001
Title: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR RAPIDLY GENERATING
RECOMBINANT NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

NOV 07 2002

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, enclosed are references relating to the above-identified application. For the convenience of the Examiner, these references are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and copies are enclosed herewith.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered in the examination of this application and their consideration be made of written record in the application file.


CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, October 31, 2002 , in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
Cecilia Tobin (Name of Person Mailing Paper)	
<i>Cecilia Tobin</i> (Signature)	October 31, 2002 (Date)

Applicants: Carrino et al.
Application No.: 10/014,128
Filed: December 7, 2001
Page 2

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, because it is being filed prior to the receipt of a first office action on the merits of the above-captioned application. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge any other fees associated with the filings submitted herewith, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

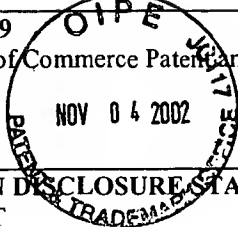
Date: October 31, 2002


Richard J. Imbra
Registration No.: 37,643
Telephone: (858) 677-1496
Facsimile: (858) 677-1465

USPTO CUSTOMER NUMBER 28213

GRAY CARY WARE & FREIDENRICH LLP
4365 Executive Drive, Suite 1100
San Diego, CA 92121-2133

Attachments of #

FORM PTO-1449 U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	Docket No.: INVIT1290-2	Application No.: 10/014,128
	Applicants: Carrino et al.	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT	Filing Date: December 7, 2001	Group Art Unit: 1645

RECEIVED
 NOV 07 2002
 TECH CENTER 1500/2900

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAM. INITIALS		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	FILING DATE
		US 6,277,632 B1	08/21/01	Harney			
		US 6,340,595 B1	01/22/02	Vogels et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAM. INITIALS		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION (YES/NO)
		WO 97/48716	12/24/97	PCT			
		WO 98/56943	12/17/98	PCT			

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages)

		NONE

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
----------	-----------------

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.